

#8B  
3/9/04  
A.W.Express Mail Label EV343592269US

## PATENT

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICATION OF: David J. Thomsen

APPLICATION No.: 09/849,455

FILED: May 4, 2001

FOR: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR RETRIEVING AND  
DISPLAYING DATA, SUCH AS ECONOMIC DATA  
RELATING TO SALARIES, COST OF LIVING AND  
EMPLOYEE BENEFITS**

EXAMINER: Leslie Wong

ART UNIT: 2177

CONF. No: 8660

Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RECEIVED

MAR 03 2004

Technology Center 2100

Sir:

The present communication responds to the Office Action dated December 3, 2003, in the above-identified application. No amendments are made to the claims herein, however they are listed beginning on page 2 for the convenience of the Examiner.